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(U) PolChief delivered subject demarche Feb. 27 to Laura Kansikas-Debraise, Office Director of the Unit for Arms Control, Disarmament and Non-Proliferation. Kansikas-Debraise noted that a decision to participate in the activities of the Global Initiative is currently under active consideration within the GOF interagency process. The GOF had considered endorsing the Global Initiative Statement of Principles before the Morocco meeting in October, but postponed a national level because of resource constraints associated with Finland's EU Presidency (July-December 2006). Now, the MFA is favorably disposed in principal to Finnish participation, but is awaiting final government approval. She promised to inform the Embassy as soon as a decision has been reached.
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